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17-32-1 Powers and duties of bail commissioners.

- (1) The county executive, with the advice and consent of the county legislative body, may appoint one or more responsible and discreet members of the sheriff's department of the county as a bail commissioner.
- (2) A bail commissioner shall have authority to fix and receive bail for persons arrested in the county for misdemeanors under the laws of the state, or for a violation of any of the county ordinances in accordance with the uniform bail schedule adopted by the Judicial Council or a reasonable bail for county ordinances not contained in the schedule.
- (3) Any person who has been ordered by a bail commissioner to give bail may deposit the amount with the bail commissioner:
 - (a) in money, by cash, certified or cashier's check, personal check with check guarantee card, money order, or credit card, if the bail commissioner has chosen to establish any of those options; or
 - (b) by a bond issued by a bail bond surety qualified under the rules of the Judicial Council.
- (4) Any money or bond collected by a bail commissioner shall be delivered to the appropriate court within three days of receipt of the money or bond.
- (5) The court may review the amount of bail ordered by a bail commissioner and may modify the amount of bail required for good cause.